BY: COUNCILMEMBER JIM MADDOX

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING SERVICE GRANTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$28,500.00 TO VARIOUS ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (ACIR) MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of Atlanta Advisory Committee on International Relations approved on May 26, 2004 the following proposals for funding:

Atlanta Sister Cities Commission	Twinning Ceremonies between Atlanta and Fukuoka, Japan and Atlanta and Hyderabad, India	\$8,500.00
Atlanta Convention & Visitors Bureau	FTAA Welcome Reception & Summit of the America's Conference (Marketing Materials)	\$10,000.00
Georgia Council for International Visitors	Maintaining Council contact with the Consular Corps.	\$10,000.00

WHEREAS, these proposals shall benefit our City by promoting the City and strengthening the international awareness of the City of Atlanta; and

WHEREAS, organizations receiving these grants shall have expenditures certified by the head of each organization as to their conformance with contracted commitments as well as provide a full accounting of the funds expensed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, as follows.

<u>SECTION 1</u>: That the following service grants are hereby approved, and shall require contractual commitment between the grant recipient and the City specifying and restricting the purposes for which the grants may be used.

Atlanta Sister Cities Commission	\$8,500.00
Atlanta Convention & Visitors Bureau	\$10,000.00
Georgia Council for International Visitors	\$10,000.00
	\$28,500.00

<u>SECTION 2</u>: That these grants shall be charged to and paid from fund, account, and center number 1A01 529002 C21T06079999.

SECTION 3: That the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute all grant related documents upon approval.

<u>SECTION 4</u>: That all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby waived.